

Harvard College is in a horrible stew. The entire edition of the current number of the Harvard Magazine has been suppressed. The Harvard faculty has ordered the Magazine withdrawn from the newsstands. The editors of the Magazine hope they will not be shot at sunrise.

It's all on account of "The Girl That Advertised." That is the name of a fiction story in the suppressed edition. It is a vivid yarn—about a Harvard "Gold Coaster" and a Radcliffe girl. "Some" girl!

The story hit Harvard like a Zeppelin bomb. Everything blew up! Some of the pieces are still on their way.

But the worst is yet to come. The AMERICAN has the awful fiction story, just as it appeared in the Harvard Magazine. The AMERICAN will print that fiction story in tonight's SPORTING EXTRA.

Get the SPORTING EXTRA tonight, sure, and you'll read something.



THE WEATHER.

Rain or snow late tonight and Saturday; increasing northeast winds. Sun rises 6:56, sets 4:13. Moon rises 5:30 p. m. High tide 12:09 a. m., 12:17 p. m.

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10 PM IT'S ALL HERE IT'S ALL NEW

COBB PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Another Arrest Expected in Collateral Loan Theft

SULLIVAN WITNESSES

WOLTON, Me., Dec. 4.—Sergeant William Irwin of the East Berham street police station, Boston, and Miss Ruth Devaney, the Cambridge stenographer, whose statements have proved important to the police, have been summoned to appear at the County courthouse here at 9 a. m. Monday to take their places among the forty witnesses for the State at the Milner Sullivan death trial. The 100 candidates for jury service in the school girl tragedy were put through another roll call today and excused until 8:45 a. m. tomorrow, when the case will be called before Judge George F. Haley and the impending of jurors began.

"I am full of courage. My counsel have secured some important new witnesses and I feel that I shall make a good showing in court."

This was a statement made by Dr. Dudley on his thirty-sixth birthday. These witnesses it is understood by persons in the confidence of Dr. Dudley's counsel, have been discovered within the last two days.

An affidavit will feature the defense of Dr. Daniel R. Dudley, one of the alleged principals.

There is Dr. Dudley's own story about the photograph muddle as related to an AMERICAN reporter.

"While out on bail at Prequee lake, I was soon made aware that the state had detectives skulking at my heels. Every time I left my office I ran into a snarl with men in black and a stage villain. I learned from the police that two fellows hired the old joining tenement, and that one had made a great bluster about wanting to buy the house."

DR. DUDLEY'S STORY.

"He said his family was to move right up from Boston. I told the police that these fellows could probably bore past any into partitions or walls without coming through and plant their daggers. If they did, they didn't get anything, for we didn't talk loud—in fact there was nothing to get."

"One of these Sherlock Holmes was a harness maker or something like him around the kitchen most of the time. I saw them both many times. If they saw me they got my thing they are crowing."

THIS IS COBB



William Cobb, former president of the Collateral Loan Company, who is accused of the larceny of \$85,000 from the company and has been held in \$25,000. This photograph was taken a few years ago and is the only photo of him taken in recent years.

3-MASTER ASHORE; TUGS PULL IN VAIN

A three-master schooner with all sails set, but which did not move, started tug captains who gazed astounded at onlookers today. Investigation revealed that the schooner was fast on Fawn Bar at the entrance to Boston harbor.

The schooner, whose name could not be learned, was in shallow water, out of reach of three tugs which went to her assistance. Her crew was picked up by one of the tugs. The Stony Beach lifesavers boarded the schooner, lowered the sails and made fast lines to the waiting tug, but she could not be pulled off.

The craft is lumber laden and is rolling and pounding badly. She is in a dangerous position, and with the increasing wind is likely to break up unless pulled off by the tugs.

Cashier George E. Hall of Loan Company Is Questioned by Assistant District Attorney Lavelle and Is Brought Face to Face With Cobb in the Latter's Cell; \$20,000 Said to Have Been Stolen

William Cobb, president of the Collateral Loan Company until a few hours before his arrest, was arraigned today in the Municipal Court before Judge Down on a charge of stealing \$24,000 from the company. Cobb, who was brought to court after a night and morning in the City Prison in default of \$25,000 bonds, pleaded not guilty. At the request of the government the case was continued until December 15. The bail stayed at \$25,000.

George E. Hall, cashier of the company, was questioned at length by Assistant District Attorney Lavelle today. With Inspector White, Hall faced Cobb in the latter's cell and later returned to the conference with Mr. Lavelle.

The police said another arrest would be made. The second arrest will be in connection with the theft of \$12,000 by juggling of pledges. It was said at least \$20,000 more must have been stolen in this way.

WHO'S TO BLAME?

William Cobb's alleged thefts of \$85,000 from the Collateral Loan Company took place more than three years ago.

Looting of the company to the extent of at least \$25,000 and probably more through the re-pledging of stolen pledges has been going on for five years.

Why were Cobb's alleged thefts not discovered before?

Why were the \$25,000 forfeitures not discovered before?

Who's to blame?

ALLEN IN LIEVE IN HOSPITAL

Former Chief John A. Allen, who was ousted from his place at the head of the Fire Department last Spring, has been taken to the Adams Nervine Hospital so broken in spirit that he is certain he will die.

He is under constant care of Dr. Edward Lane of Bayston street. Dr. Lane is certain that "Chief" Allen has many years to live, once he gets over his depression, but his condition now is serious. Dr. Lane said today:

"You know what happened last Spring has broken him all up. He is getting along in years. To be dropped right out of the routine of life time, to lose his job was a serious thing."

LOST HIS NERVE.

"He kept up until about July. In July he began to lose heart, get discouraged. He moved from South Boston to Mattapan, but the change did him no good. Two weeks ago he was getting entirely. He stays in bed most of the time, just thinking—worrying and thinking. Some days he will get up, but he generally prefers to just stay in bed."

"He is sure he will die. We can't get the idea out of his head. Of course he will not die yet, but he thinks so himself. And the worst part of it is that he doesn't care."

LONGS FOR FRIENDS.

"He thinks all the people who used to be his friends have forgotten him, or course it would be too much for him to sit and talk for any length of time. He would like to have some one just to have folks drop in and speak cheerily to him, and run out to show him that he is not forgotten, that his friends think more of him than ever."

"It is no use to try to talk him out of his discouragement, but perhaps suggestion might help him."

Exchange to Elect Successor to Devens

A special meeting of the Boston stock Exchange is called for December 7, at 2:15 p. m. in the bond room.

To fill the vacancy in the office of vice-president, occasioned by the resignation of the late John F. Devens, the constitution of the Exchange, when any special meeting of the Exchange shall be requested, a fine of \$5 for non-attendance may be imposed on the regular members by the presiding officer.

Peace Plan Fails in Ohio Mine Strike

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 4.—There will be no peace in the Ohio coal region. The strike will go on. This was the result of the conference of miners' delegates from sub-sidit counties. It was agreed that today's break up suddenly and adjourned the strike for the day without any agreement being reached.

Adams Postmaster at Provincetown

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—President Wilson today appointed John Adams postmaster at Provincetown, Mass. It is a recess appointment.

Japs Fight Germans in Poland Storm of Shells Falls on Cracow

Kaiser Cheers His Troops on Eastern Battle Front; French Gain in Alsace; Armies Massed for Supreme Effort in Flanders

PARIS, Dec. 4.—The Germans are continuing their bombardment of the allies' line in West Flanders. Further German infantry attacks are being launched against the Anglo-French positions east of Ypres. This information was contained in the official announcement by the French War Office this afternoon.

BERLIN, Dec. 4. (by wireless).—French attacks in West Flanders have been repeatedly repulsed. It was officially announced by the German general staff this afternoon.

Fierce fighting continues along the entire front of the battle in Poland and Galicia, with the siege of Cracow the principal feature in the day's news. It is unofficially reported from Petrograd that the Russians are directing a terrific bombardment against the Austrian stronghold from the heights of Wieliczka, eight miles distant. A variable rain of shells from their heavy guns is falling upon the outer forts. It is said, and the situation in Cracow is described as extremely precarious.

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126th DAY OF THE WAR

As Told in Today's Official Dispatches.

AUSTRIAN OFFICIAL STATEMENT.
VIENNA (via Berlin and Amsterdam), Dec. 4.—The Russian forces that invaded the Zemplin district of Hungary from Galicia, through the Carpathian mountains pass northeast of Mese-Labor, are in retreat.

The Russians vainly endeavored to resist our attack, but they have been forced to abandon their positions and resort to flight.

GERMAN OFFICIAL STATEMENT.
BERLIN, Dec. 4.—Western headquarters reports that in the western theatre of war all French attacks against us in West Flanders have been repulsed. Northwest of Arras (upper Alsace) the French have suffered considerable losses.

In the eastern theatre of war Russian attacks east of the Marston Lake were repulsed, with heavy loss to the enemy.

FRENCH OFFICIAL STATEMENT.
PARIS, Dec. 4.—In Belgium there was a rather lively intermittent campaign between the railroad line running from Ypres to Roulers and the highway from Becelle to Paschendale, where the infantry of the enemy attempted, without success, to gain some ground.

In Verdun we continue to occupy the positions captured by our troops.

From the Somme to the Argonne chain has prevailed all along the front.

In the Argonne region several attacks of the German infantry were repulsed by our troops, notably the attacks made against the northwest corner of the forest of Ladurte.

In Lorraine and in the Vosges there were some artillery engagements.

In Alsace there is nothing to report.

(Paschendale lies about eight miles east of Ypres. Becelle is about four miles south of Paschendale. Verdun lies about four miles from La Bassée.)

FLOOD DESERT TO BLOCK THE TURKS

CAIRO, Egypt, via London, Dec. 4.—The British military authorities have decided the desert east of Port Said for many miles, thus preventing the Turkish army from advancing.

Port Said lies at the northern end of the Suez Canal, where the canal joins the Mediterranean Sea. It is located upon the western side of the Arabian desert, which covers all of the northern part of Sinai peninsula.

British military aeroplanes have been hovering over the desert, and the Turkish army has been blocked.

Official Notice of Holy War Received

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Official notice that a holy war has been proclaimed by the Turkish government against Serbia and her allies today was received by the State Department. The message came from the American Legation at Bucharest, Roumania, where the Serbian foreign minister made the announcement.

The Serbian government has served notice that it considers all treaties between itself and Turkey to have been cancelled.

Going to Sell Your Car?

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is the total today of the AMERICAN's great "Give a Basket" Christmas for Greater Boston's poor.

Hundreds of requests are coming in for the Christmas baskets which the AMERICAN will distribute with the contributions of its readers. All expenses of distribution, as well as of the great week of Christmas tree entertainments on Boston Common, will be borne by the AMERICAN—every cent you give goes into the Christmas baskets.

Two dollars buys some poor family a basket full of Christmas happiness.

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(For further details of the great "Give a Basket" Christmas distribution and Christmas celebration, see page 7.)



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CRACOW BESIEGED BY RUSSIANS

Japanese Artillerymen Manning Russian Big Guns in Eastern Campaign.

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The taking of this fortress would prove of unspeakable advantage to the Russians. It would open the roads to Vienna, Breslau and Berlin.

According to advices received in Berlin from the eastern war theatre, the Russians are being assisted by large numbers of Japanese. Expert Japanese artillerymen are manning many of the long range Russian siege guns. It is declared, and more Japanese troops are reported to be on the way to the Russian front via the Trans-Siberian railway.

It is officially announced in Berlin that Emperor William is paying a visit to the German troops in the Cracow district, and has accompanied them, through their commander, upon their fine achievements in Poland. Cracow is fifteen miles from the German border in Poland. It is also announced officially at the German capital that Russian attacks east of the Maurian lake have been repulsed with heavy losses.

REVERSE FLANK MOVEMENT.
The battle of Lodz, Petrograd admits, was a masterly effort of Marshal von Hindenburg to stop the Russian advance toward Cracow. But the Russians have now brought up so many men before Lodz, it is asserted, that they have been able to start a turning movement against the German flank north of Lodz, which, un-

less stopped, must compel the entire German line to fall back again.

Reinforced with troops brought from Belgium and France, the German armies west of Lodz and southwest of Petrograd are again attempting to advance toward the Vistula. The Russians have retained Strzykow and Lodz. They now hold everything from this point of the Lodz-Warsaw railroad to the Vistula river, west of Plock, and the turning movement against the German front proceeds.

According to the Petrograd version of the battle, the Germans in massed columns made furious onslaughts for the possession of the railroad junction and the river near Gdansk, but the Russian movement slowly proceeded.

Russia, on top of these military movements, has called out another 1,500,000 reserves. It is expected that Russia could now send troops to aid the allies in France if it were possible to get them there either by rail or by sea, but it is not possible.

Some military experts express the idea that the Russians may not wait to take Cracow, but leave an investing force there and press on around and beyond the city, for the invasion of Silesia.

FIGHTING IN HUNGARY.
In the Carpathians, Petrograd states, a Russian column has broken through the Dukla pass and has occupied the town of Bardejov. Hungary, capturing a large number of Austrians and some machine guns. In the Caucasus campaign the situation is unchanged.

Vienna, on the other hand, officially announces that the Russian

New Offensive by Allies in West; Kitchener and King at Firing Line.

forces that invaded the Zemplin district of Hungary from Galicia, through the Carpathian mountain pass northeast of Mezolabor, are in retreat. It is declared that Hungarian soldiers made a surprise attack upon the Russians at night, taking 15,000 prisoners. The Russians utilized the railroad line which crosses the Carpathians northeast of Mezolabor, and sent heavy forces forward from Galicia in an effort to occupy the eastern districts of Hungary.

MOVEMENT AT HAND.
The presence of both King George and Earl Kitchener at the front, as announced in today's cable dispatch, strongly indicates that something important is about to happen in the western theatre of the great war, and it is believed that the world will soon be informed of a sweeping offensive movement of the allied armies against the Germans in France and Belgium.

The British troops recently landed in France are all now said to have reached the firing line. Most of them are understood to have been assigned to the road between Orpied and Ypres, bringing the allies' total up to 700,000 in this part of the great Somme battle front. Against them are 500,000 Germans. 150,000 of these are reinforcements. Thus a total of 1,250,000 men are facing each other in Flanders, where for weeks past the fighting has been so sanguinary that anywhere else in the west, and where the most important operations were looked for.

According to a Rotterdam report the Germans are planning to throw every man they can concentrate against the allied line on the Yser. The attack will be led by the Crown Prince in person. If it does not succeed, the Germans say they will go into Winter quarters.

The Germans have shifted the weight of their present in West Flanders to the region between Ypres and Dinant, and the allies' line at that point are being subjected to a continuous bombardment.

NEW BATTERIES SET UP.
The invaders have built new batteries into play against the allied troops immediately south of Dinant. Those guns, which are among those recently rushed to the front, are located along the borders highway.

Ypres still remains in the hands of the allies, but the troops defending it are compelled to undergo terrible hardships. The recent rains have turned some of the trenches to running brooks. The wet weather has also added to the disastrous condition of the roads. In order to overcome the difficulties presented by the bad roads the Germans have mounted a number of new light automobile frames. Some of these have a range of four miles and the carriers upon which they are carried are so light that they can pass over very highways.

The activity on the eastern end of the battle line, in Alsace and the Vosges continues with good results for the French. Paris dispatches say, The French army of the Moselle has occupied three or four strategic points on the eastern bank of that river within the last forty-eight hours, but nothing further is heard from the operations of that section of the army of the Moselle, which is trying to establish contact with the outer ring of forts at Metz, on the southwestern side of the city.

RHEIN DAMAGE \$25,000,000.
Berlin also reports that a new battle is developing in Alsace, which promises important results. The French, according to the German dispatch, have assumed the offensive in that district, but the German forces are being strongly reinforced from the Rhine valley.

Terrific havoc has been wrought by the German artillery at Rheims, damage to the city already being estimated at \$25,000,000, and the canal there is still in progress.

The Germans are making steady progress in that region. It is claimed, some of their trenches are less than 2,000 yards from Rheims.

Lively cannonading is reported from many points along the Aisne, the Oise and the Yser.

Turks working under the direction of German engineers are constructing a military railroad from Palestine to the Suez Canal. Berlin reports, Mohammedan troops are reported to be within fifteen days' march of the Suez Canal.

A dispatch from Vienna states that Serbian officers, who were captured by the Austrians, say that M. Stutch, a former Serbian cabinet minister, has been sent to St. Petersburg in order to seek Russia's permission for Serbia to conclude peace with Austria in the event that Serbia's second line of defense is smashed by the Austrian army of invasion.

It is reported from Vienna that the allies are sending reinforcements to Serbia and Montenegro. Transport, escorted by French and British warships, have reached Antivari, Montenegro port on the Adriatic.

Prince of Wales Is One of the Keenest Soldiers at Front

LONDON, Dec. 4.—A dispatch to the Times says: The Prince of Wales has at last obtained the dearest wish of his heart and is present with the army. He has won glowing opinions.

The personality of this slight and almost fragile-looking prince was but little known to the army until he joined it, and now that it is becoming known it is a revelation. He is among the keenest and hardest soldiers in the army. It will be a great difficulty to keep him out of the firing line of the Grenadiers.

BATTLE IN POLAND WORLD'S FIERCEST

By FRANKLIN P. MERRICK, Staff Correspondent of the American.

THE battle in Poland tonight was a new development and added complications in unforeseen directions. It is, perhaps the fiercest fighting the world has ever known.

"Work up the very best of disaster the Germans at the cost of immense bloodshed, the Russian army, the Siberian corps. They were able to re-occupy their shattered ranks and fortify their front and now the fighting is in progress in the zone of which Lodz is the center.

The Western section of the battlefront begins at Zittau, which is about 100 miles west of Lodz. The German army, which has been on the battlefront since the carnage is horrible. The trenches are piled high with German corpses.

"There is one ruined village, where in three successive attacks the Germans were moved down by Siberian sharpshooters, the wheat for the reaper, in the hand to hand fighting soldiers were impaled on bayonets or fell with skulls crushed by the built end of rifles.

"At present the German left near Lodz the adversaries are engaged in stubborn attacks and counter attacks. Each side is trying to turn the other's flank to prevent a general offensive.

"The advantage there remains with the Russians."

President Settles Deadlock on Office

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Norway Protests Seizure by Germans

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Enlist Rapidly in Newfoundland

ST. JOHN'S, N. F. Dec. 4.—Enlistment for the second contingent to join the British army in proceeding rapidly together with that for the naval reserve. It is planned to enlist 500 men from the colony and with the army in England.

QUEEN WILHELMINA AND HER GERMAN HUSBAND HUMILIATED

Far-seeing Dutch statesman, fearing the fate of Belgium, warns the Queen to mind her own business and make her husband's position in the royal palace a prisoner in the royal palace.

SEE SUNDAY'S AMERICAN.

1,400 Radio Stations Closed by Uncle Sam

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Admiral C. F. Bond, supervisor of the twelfth naval district, said today that since the beginning of the war 1,400 wireless stations have been closed under orders of the Navy Department. Scores of stations are being investigated every week upon charges of neutrality violations.

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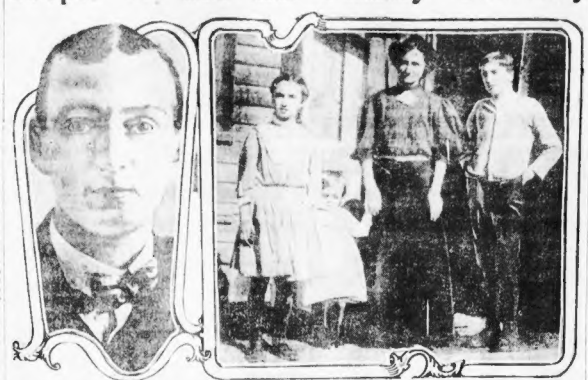
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1,200 WALK OUT IN LYNN PROTEST

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Children to Bid Condemned Man Goodbye Cooper to See His Family Saturday



Daniel J. Cooper, sentenced to die in the electric chair next week, and his wife and children, who will be allowed to visit him at the death house Saturday.

Fined for Gambling in South Boston

Thirteen men were fined for gambling in South Boston. The men were fined for gambling in South Boston. The men were fined for gambling in South Boston.

Scared Away From Break in Roxbury

Three men were scared away from a break in Roxbury. The men were scared away from a break in Roxbury. The men were scared away from a break in Roxbury.

Members of Executive Council Divided Over Question of Commutation.

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TYPIST A WITNESS AT BANKER'S TRIAL

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Ample weekly earnings of all employees in the wood pulp and paper mills of Massachusetts are \$10.93, the scales for workers employed full time in 1914, according to a summary of average wages just issued by the State Bureau of Statistics.

TAFT HITS WILSON MEXICAN POLICY

DETROIT, Dec. 4.—"The policy of the Wilson administration with regard to Mexico," said Taft, who is now in Mexico, "has made the danger of the necessity of intervention in Mexico infinitely greater than was the case in 1901. No one can see before the present Mexican policy of our government."

LILLIAN WHITING, the Distinguished Boston Author, will write her impressions of the Mildred Sullivan Trial at Houlton, Me., for Next Sunday's BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN.

HOLD GUARDSMAN AS EMBEZZLER

FORTSMOUTH, N. H., Dec. 4.—Captain Frederic L. Hartman, 1st regt. recently commander of the First Company, Coast Artillery, of this city, is under arrest charged with embezzlement of funds amounting to \$700 from the State of New Hampshire, while in command of the company.

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10,000 Useful Xmas Gifts at the House of Dignified Credit. If you have an account with us you may select what you want for your loved ones and have same added to your bill. If you have never dealt here one single dollar will open an account this month and you can pay for same weekly or monthly. No interest added, just a simple charge account.

Find Chinamen Overcome by Gas

HAVERHILL, Dec. 4.—Two Chinamen, aged 40 and 45, were found in their house in a rooming house in Haverhill, Mass., overcome by gas poisoning. The investigation showed that the gas came from a gas stove in the rooming house, which was left burning when the men were committed to the Haverhill Jail. It is expected they will recover.

Belgian Aid Fund Is Now \$120,435.04

The New England Belgian relief fund today is \$120,435.04. Five hundred dollars just given by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shaw, 50, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Fane, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fane, and Miss E. G. Hough.

DOES DISEASE EXPLAIN MANY STATESMEN'S BLUNDERS?

Science advances the interesting theory that in the career of many statesmen, foreign ambassadors and other men in public life, the blunders they commit are explained by the fact that they are suffering from some disease.

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New designs intended for practical use and in beauty of design. Finish Chairs and Rockers, finished in the best of materials, with upholstered seats and backs. The Rockers are upholstered in the best of materials. \$35.00

See designs as shown in Press and other papers. Also in our catalog. \$35.00

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Ruddy Cheeks — Sparkling
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These tablets are natural workers on the liver and bowels, which have a normal action, carrying off the waste matter from the system that you have a pain free, healthy body. They are good for indigestion, headaches, a relaxed, good feeling, all sort of sorts. Inactive liver, constipation, and the Dr. F. M. Sigmund Olive Tablets, healthy for a time and note the pleasing effect.

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59c
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79c

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Calf Skin Coats,	\$30.00
Raccoon Coats,	\$50.00
0 Raccoon Coats,	\$75.00
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A black and white photograph of a horizontal strip, likely a film negative or a piece of paper. The strip features several distinct markings and patterns. On the left side, there are two small, rectangular labels with illegible text. To their right, there is a series of horizontal lines and patterns, including a series of small, dark, rectangular marks. The strip is set against a dark background.

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E. W. Grove on box. 25c.

Third: The likelihood, according to the police, that further disclosures of amazing thefts from the company will result from a more thorough in-

Collateral Loan Company Director Joseph P. Kennedy (at left) and John F. Moors, both of whom are credited with having unearthed the evidence of thefts in the company.

TIME OLD

"I have nothing to hide. My books are open to any responsible parties at all times."

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EVERETT HIGH ELEVEN WILL
FIND THE STAMFORD TEAM
A HARD LOT TO BEAT

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE MAY
REDUCE THE NUMBER
OF PLAYERS ON TEAMS

WALTER JOHNSON SIGNS WITH FEDS

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—The manager of the Federal League today claim a big victory over organized baseball with the announcement that Walter Johnson, premier pitcher of the American League, has been signed to a two-year contract. The salary that Johnson will receive is not known, but it is the opinion of baseball men here that he will receive \$25,000 per season.

Joe Tinker, manager of the Chicago team, was the successful manager to sign Johnson. Tinker has been at Coffeyville, Kan., the home of Johnson, for two days, and today returns to Chicago with the signed contract. Johnson will play for two years for Chicago at the same annual figure he could have signed with the St. Louis Federals for three years, the latter part of October, by holding out of Johnson last season.

Incidentally, Johnson said the Federal League as long as possible in an effort to hold up the Washington club. He stated that Johnson's final proposition to the Federal League was \$15,000 for one year, \$25,000 for three years or \$100,000 for five years.

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The latter part of October Tinker and Johnson conferred with Johnson at Fort Smith, Ark. They made him a bid offer of \$25,000 for three years, money in the amount of \$10,000, and \$10,000 of it in cash. Johnson, who was signed to the Federal League, announced in the morning that he would leave Johnson at \$25,000 for three years.

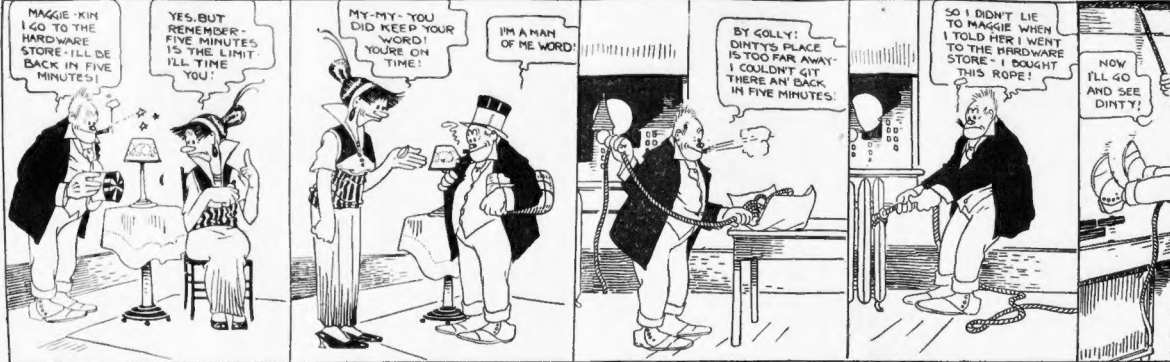
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Bringing Up Father



By George McManus

PARKS CAPTAIN OF TUFTS TEAM

William J. Parks, Jr., of Somerville will lead the Tufts football team next season, being the unanimous choice of the twenty-two men.

Parks has played quarterback on the eleven for two seasons and was one of the stars of the team. He is a junior at the dental school and is the first member of that department to be honored by a captaincy of a major sport team.

He has proven himself to be an ideal leader, setting every possible ounce of work out of his men and keeping the team at top speed in every game. His choice of plays is seldom questioned and the faculty has been in quick sympathy with the wishes of opponents have had much to do with the large scores Tufts has been able to pull in the past two seasons.

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Everett High, 60; Marlboro
High, Everett High, 74; Revere
High, Everett High, 54; Chelsea
High, Everett High, 21; Hingham
Treb, Everett High, 23; Weymouth
High, Everett High, 48; Melrose
High, Everett High, 22; Manchester, N. H.
Everett High, 42; Malden
Everett High, 42; Malden
Everett High, 80; Oak Park
High, Everett High, 47; total for opponents, 6.

NEWS AND NOTES IN MOTOR WORLD

By J. C. KERRISON.

A complete trip through the automobile factory of the Everett Motor Company was enjoyed by an auto club which crowded the Franklin room on Berkeley street last night, when was displayed the famous motor, picture film, entire from "Milton Steel to Automobile." This entertainment, given by the Everett Motor Company and the Everett Motor Club, was a most interesting and entertaining as well as educational. The picture film, shown through the history were interesting, the picture film, shown through the history were interesting, the picture film, shown through the history were interesting.

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Henry N. Pyke, local manager of the Chalmers Motor Company, returned to Boston yesterday after a several days' trip to the factory in Detroit. Mr. Pyke brings with him information of a most gratifying nature regarding the motor industry at present. He found the industry in the most excellent shape, considering general business conditions. The picture film, shown through the history were interesting, the picture film, shown through the history were interesting, the picture film, shown through the history were interesting.

With S. Brown, has again become identified with the Chalmers Motor Company of Boston, he having resumed his old position as manager of the used-car department.

STAMFORD HIGH GAME WILL BE HARDEST FOR EVERETT

HOW THE TEAMS COMPARE.

STAMFORD			EVERETT					
WL	Ht.	Age	Player	POSITION	Player	Age	Ht.	WL
145	6-08	18	Gillespie	Left End Right	Trowbridge	18	6-00 1/2	163
184	6-10	17	Breunau	Left Tackle Right H. Bond	17	6-11	163	
170	5-09	18	Vachas	Left Guard Right	Morrison	19	5-10 1/2	179
156	5-10	18	Cook	Center	Pontreaver	17	5-08 1/2	145
172	5-11	17	Talner	Right Guard Left Davis	18	5-08	163	
160	5-10	18	Palo	Right Tackle Left	K. Johnson	18	5-07	139
156	5-09	18	Collom	Right End Left	Hanson	18	5-07	175
142	5-08 1/2	20	Layton	Quarterback	Pitzgerald	18	5-07 1/2	147
150	5-08	18	Hugh	Left Halfback Right Green	19	5-08	157	
156	5-08 1/2	19	Kelly	Right Halfback Left	Cannell	18	5-08	148
160	5-09	19	Leonard	Fullback	R. Bond	17	5-07	158
Average weight, Stanford: The 152 pounds, average weight, Everett: 150 pounds.								
Off's line, 158 pounds. Average weight, Stanford: backfield, 152 pounds.								
Average weight, Everett: backfield, 152 1/2 pounds. Average weight, Stanford: line, 155 pounds; average weight, Everett: team, 156 pounds.								

Average weight, Stamford High, 163 pounds; average weight, Everett's line, 158 pounds. Average weight, Stamford backfield, 152 pounds; average weight, Everett backfield, 152 1/2 pounds. Average weight, Stamford team, 155 pounds; average weight, Everett team, 156 pounds.

The hustling football warriors from the Stamford High School of Connecticut arrive in Boston early this afternoon for their game with the champion Everett school team at the Everett High field tomorrow afternoon.

The little party left Stamford at 9 o'clock last night and will reach the Back Bay Station at 7:21 this afternoon.

The following players are in the gathering: Recorders, Captain Brainer, tackle, Vachas, Cook, Palmer, fullback, Leonard, quarterback, and Hill, guard.

The players, while here, will put up at the Copley Square Hotel. Immediately upon their arrival they will don their football tags and put in an hour's light practice on one of the local parks. They may go out to the Everett field to look over.

While Stamford's record does not compare with that of Everett, nevertheless, the eleven has won several games, and has only been scored upon twice, both times by the air route.

One game, which stands out above all the others on Stamford's record is the one against the Western College freshmen, which they won by a score of 42 to 0.

The Stamford team outweighs Everett three pounds to the man. The backfield are very evenly matched, Everett having an advantage in the line. The line is not a great deal of a factor in the game, as the regular line is only five feet and eleven inches tall. The line is not a great deal of a factor in the game, as the regular line is only five feet and eleven inches tall.

Games Played by Stamford Squad

Stamford High, 26; New Rochelle, N. Y.
Stamford High, 11; Torrington High, 9 (forfeited)
Stamford High, 14; Hartford High, 6
Stamford High, 20; Haverhill School, 2
Stamford High, 43; Westover Freshmen, 2
Stamford High, 10; Peabody N. A. C.
Stamford High, 14; Dickinson High, 6
Stamford High, 24; De Witt Clinton, 8
Stamford High, 44; Alton, 2
Stamford High, 40; Augustine Academy, 9
Stamford High, 24; New Rochelle, N. Y.
Stamford High total, 231; total for opponents, 6.

JIMMY COLLINS SERIOUSLY ILL

RUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 4.—Jimmy Collins, former manager of the Boston American League baseball team, and one of the greatest third basemen of the game, is dangerously ill at his home in this city. Collins, who has been out of the game for several years, has been ill a week with pneumonia, and his condition is announced to be very grave.

B. C. to Banquet Football Team

A banquet to the Boston College football team is being planned by the college athletic association. It will probably be held next week at a Boston hotel, possibly Tuesday night.

Detroit High Team to Challenge Everett

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 4.—The Central High School football team of this city has forwarded a challenge to Everett High School for a post-season game, next year, asserting that while it might not win, it would surely give the Easterners a better game than Oak Park High, which Everett defeated on Saturday.

The Central High School eleven has been a member of the Eastern championship team of the country this year, going to the championship game in New York and rolling up a total of considerably over 500 points.

Johnny Glover to Fight in Maine

Johnny Glover, the South Boston welterweight champion, who defeated Woodstock, N. C., has been signed to a two-fight bout which will be held in Boston, Dec. 12, and Tuesday night. The bout will be promoted by Alvin Karpis. The men are evenly matched and are expected to put up an interesting contest.

BRICKLEY AFTER HONORS ON TRACK

"Surefoot" Charlie Brickley, Harvard captain and the greatest little drop-kicker of them all, is spending most of his time now in darning the rumors that he is to coach here, there and everywhere. The latest institution to which he has been assigned is Columbia.

According to Brickley himself there is nothing to the yarn. He has not heard a word from the Columbia authorities. In fact it is extremely doubtful if the college will have a football team next year. There is a faculty rule against the game, but of late there has been much talk of having the ban lifted.

If the professors finally decide to allow football to come back, it is of course probable that Brickley will be offered the coaching job. It would make up for him in a big way, as he expects to settle in New York after graduation.

Despite reports to the contrary, Brickley will put in a couple of years at the coaching game before going into business. He has already received bids from the big colleges in the country, but will make up his mind until all prospects have been heard from. Then naturally he will accept the highest financial offer.

Roxbury Quintet Seeks Hard Games

The Roxbury Neighborhood House senior basketball team is again in the field and out for the intercollegiate championship this year. This team had a wonderful record last year, winning twenty-one out of twenty-three games played. All the veterans are back, the lineup. They would like to hear from the fastest amateur semi-professional team in the State for games to be played at Cornell, Princeton, Dartmouth, and Yale. They would like to hear from the fastest amateur semi-professional team in the State for games to be played at Cornell, Princeton, Dartmouth, and Yale.

Gleason, Andover Captain.

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COLLEGE FIVES ANNOUNCE CARD

The Intercollegiate Basketball League will open its season on January 9 with a game between Cornell and Pennsylvania, and another between Columbia and Dartmouth. The other teams in the league are Yale and Princeton. Following is the schedule:

Jan. 9—Cornell at Pennsylvania; Columbia at Dartmouth. Jan. 12—Princeton at Columbia. Jan. 13—Cornell at Yale. Jan. 16—Columbia at Pennsylvania; Cornell at Dartmouth. Jan. 19—Pennsylvania at Princeton. Jan. 23—Yale at Cornell; Princeton at Columbia. Feb. 2—Princeton at Columbia; Pennsylvania at Cornell. Feb. 9—Columbia at Yale. Feb. 12—Cornell at Princeton; Pennsylvania at Columbia. Feb. 13—Yale at Princeton. Feb. 19—Cornell at Columbia. Feb. 26—Yale at Princeton; Dartmouth at Pennsylvania. Feb. 26—Princeton at Columbia; Pennsylvania at Cornell. March 1—Columbia at Cornell. March 2—Yale at Pennsylvania; Princeton at Princeton. March 3—Dartmouth at Cornell. March 3—Princeton at Yale. March 12—Columbia at Princeton; Dartmouth at Yale.

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LIONEL HARVARD FAVORED AS POET

Lionel De Jersey Harvard is one of the two nominees favored for the post of poet at Harvard's Class Day exercises next June. The nominating committee of the senior class has just made known its choice of men for the various class day officers and athletes abundant as usual.

For the first, second and third year challenges, at least seven men will make the running. Captain Hinchey of the football team may jump home in the van for the first marshaling. The other nominees are: Hase Francke and Walter Trumbull, football stars; Henry A. Murray, captain of the crew; Russ Ayres, the leader of the nine; Gardner N. Shaw and John Talbot.

Tommy Richards, Cyril B. Damon and Jimmy Greenough, all Harvard athletic managers, will oppose Mal Logan, the variety quack, for class treasurer.

Two nominees for orator are: William M. Whipple, former student in the senior class and John L. Landon. The latter is a student in the law school. He has been a candidate in Harvard's annual election, editor of the *Tanquer* and David H. Sturges, a fellow in merit.

Walsh and Council Will See Lauder

Governor Walsh, accompanied by Alexander McFadden and other members of the Governor's Council will occupy hours at the State House this evening to see Harry Lauder, the famous Scotch actor, who is in the city for the first time. Lauder at the State House last Monday and in the evening of Tuesday, the famous Scotch actor, asked the Governor to be his guest at the theatre. Governor Walsh has appointed tonight and will be accompanied by his Council, as well as his Council.

Fear-Crazed Horse Injures Firemen

While attempting to reach a fear-crazed horse from a burning barn at No. 399 Massachusetts Avenue, a fireman was killed in the face and injured in the leg. The horse, which was named "Old Boy," was taken to the city morgue. The loss was \$2,500.

Charlestown Cars Return to Subway

Charlestown subway cars tomorrow morning will again be in operation from Sullivan square via Baymarket square. Pleasant street subway. The Charlestown cars are being used in removing the car lines around the opposition of Charlestown residents.

Worcester Won on Panhandlers

WORCESTER, Dec. 4.—Police Chief George H. Hill being informed by his men that the city was being overrun with panhandlers, today ordered a general crusade to clean them out of the city.

Big Slipper Order for Worcester Firm

WORCESTER, Dec. 4.—Big orders for slippers are keeping the Blackford & Co. plant busy working night and day. The factory employs 150.

N. L. Gorton Dead.
GLOUCESTER, Dec. 4.—Nathaniel L. Gorton of the Gorton Manufacturing Company, is dead at the home of his sister, Mrs. William Gorton, on Western Avenue. He was forty-nine years old.

MISS ELIZABETH M. PAINE, who makes her formal bow to society tonight at ball in her honor at the Somerset.



MISS PAINE FIRST OF WINTER 'BUDS'

The first of the winter children, Miss Elizabeth M. Paine, will be crowned by the other social buds of the season, and the invitation list includes the names of the exclusive set.

Miss Paine is one of the best known of the city's young women. She is a member of the Junior League and the Junior Red Cross. She is also a member of the Junior League and the Junior Red Cross.

Advocates Law for Sickness Insurance

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 4.—Urging an enactment of a law providing for sickness insurance, a Western branch of the U. S. Public Health Service, today called on the American Public Health Association.

"The productivity of a healthy man is so potentially great," he said, "that other things being equal, he has the right to be insured against sickness."

Costume Prize for Miss Cummings

Miss Christine Cummings was awarded the prize for the best costume at the masquerade at the Municipal Club of this city.

FREE Stories and pictures by Jack London, Harrison Fisher, Robert V. Chambers, James Montgomery Flagg, and R. W. Woodard, will be in the December number of the AMERICAN Sunday Monthly Magazine. Free with every copy of next Sunday's Boston Herald-American.

HAVRE SHIP AFIRE, ART LOSS MILLION

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Art objects to the value of \$1,000,000 were ruined by a fire on board the French liner Havre, which was in the harbor of New York, Dec. 3, at 11 o'clock.

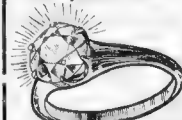
The Havre was the first of the French art dealers to be destroyed. The fire was caused by a short circuit in the lighting system. The fire was extinguished by the fire department.

Tufts College Seniors Dine

The senior class of the School of Arts and Sciences of Tufts College held the annual banquet at the Hotel Brunswick, Dec. 3, at 7 o'clock.

The guests were Professor Alexander Dillingham of the engineering school and Professor Frank H. Sawyer of the English department.

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Diamond Rings \$25 to \$250
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Lots More of Those Motor Coats

Just in—1915 Models

Big, 60-horsepower comfort makers, as good for a walk along Washington Street as for a wintry day's trip into the country.

There is a good variety, both in patterns and prices. All are double breasted, with big convertible collars. Some at the lower prices are worsted lined—the others are warm enough to go unlined. Satin yokes and sleeves make for ease in putting on and off.

They perform every duty of the fur coat—and more, for they shed rain and snow as no fur coat ever does. Nor is their use restricted to motorists. They are the best coats for all men who are much out-of-doors in severe weather. Typical Kennedy values at

\$15 \$16.50 \$20 to \$30

Countless Other Overcoats

Every style that's in demand among well-dressed men, every fabric that's suitable for overgarments, every pattern that's desirable. Greater value giving is conspicuous in every style at every price.

**King
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up**

**Kimono
Raglans**

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A snug-fitting, medium-length, double-breasted coat of great distinction. Much favored by those who would avoid even a suggestion of the bargain basement balmacaan.

The ever correct and popular Chesterfield style in blacks, oxfords and grays, with either serge or silk lining. Proper for men of all ages to wear on all occasions.

These loose-fitting coats with kimono sleeves are justly popular, both in plain shades and in fancy patterns. Remarkable value at each and every price from

The Marvellous "Klavicle"

A gentleman's coat—a Kuppenheimer masterpiece. So handsome in appearance that it has swept everything before it, so ingenious in construction that it has successfully defied every effort to copy it. Sold only by this Live Store

\$20 up to \$40

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Here are some fine Mackinaws For Boys

They are extra heavy weight, strictly all wool, cut big and roomy, and in especially desirable patterns. They're as good for girls as for boys. Many stores ask \$7.50 for this grade of coat.

Our Price **\$5.00**

Overcoats (8 to 18 years) **\$5 to \$10**
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Now's the time to Buy Gloves and here's the place

There's good foundation for the rumor that your glove money will go farther here than in almost any other store.

Real Black-Head Mochas **\$1.50**

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Perrin's and Dent's **\$1.50**

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Four feet of the finest silk and best work ever found in ties at our price. The most popular of them **45c**



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2050 Men's Union Suits
worth 1.50 a Garment, at **80c**

These suits are in medium weight cotton of white, gray and Egyptian. Long sleeves, ankle length, closed crotch, a comfortable, high-grade tailored suit.

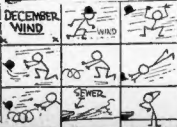
Shirts and Drawers
worth 1.00 a garment, at **60c**

Medium weight balbriggan, plain and ribbed shirts and drawers; long sleeve shirts and ankle drawers to match.

Jordan Marsh Company

Krazy Kat

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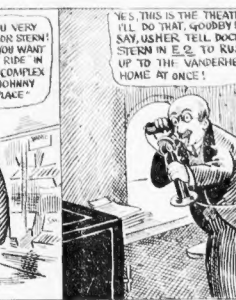
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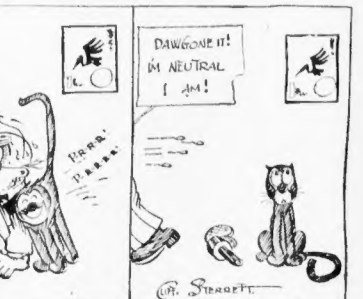
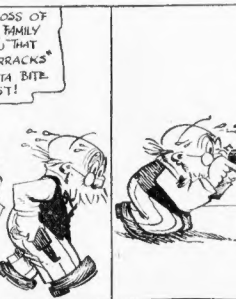
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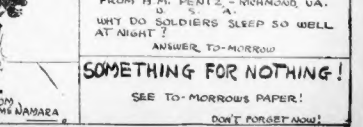
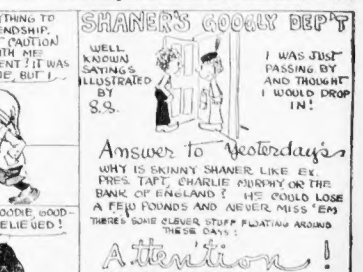
POLLY AND HER PALS

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US BOYS

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Ah, Ha! Mary Had a Love Affair at College

He Gets Even with the Doctor All Right

It Sounded Much Better at First

Pa Didn't Have the Heart to Do It

You Couldn't Get Skinny Sore with a Shot Gun

PROSPERITY SIGNS SEEN EVERYWHERE

More than 500 horses for the French army have arrived at Portland. Mr. Many more are expected.

Exportation of wheat shows no signs of slackening. Last week's bushels of wheat have been bought at a discount for, it is understood, shipping. The French army has been supplied with wheat for the past several weeks.

One of the latest arrivals is said to have ordered a large quantity of olive oil. The contract is said to call for 100,000 barrels of olive oil, to be shipped in 100,000 barrels.

Chief of the Bureau of Commerce, Bureau that it is not likely a year it will increase the foreign trade of the United States by half a billion dollars.

Chairman John Hays Hammond reports received by the National Civilian Production from its thousands of correspondents indicate that the business is improving and that the time is near at hand of great prosperity.

Foreigners have resumed buying the barred wire in this country. It is estimated that some 500,000 tons of wire will be sold in 1915.

More demand for pig iron, which is a trade item, is reported from the British, French, Canadian, American, and other countries.

Although the market has been closed three months, Wall Street indicates that during the period, or since the war has broken out, the market for stocks and bonds has amounted to \$10,000,000.

Apple shipments for Europe from New York on one day recently totaled 15,000 barrels, which is a record for the season. The apples were valued at \$100,000.

One steamship has sailed from New York for Copenhagen with 100,000 barrels of wheat, and other products valued at \$100,000.

Foreigners are buying more of our goods. On one day last week, they bought 100,000 barrels of wheat, valued at \$100,000.

The foreign trade of the United States for the month of November 2, as reported by the Bureau of Commerce, showed a favorable balance in merchandise transactions of \$10,000,000.

MISS BETTIE TUFTS, demonstrator in Providence, attacked by thugs.



GIRL THROWN INTO STREET BY THUGS

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 4.—Knocked into a mud puddle, her clothes torn and her head bleeding, Miss Bettie Tufts, a demonstrator at a local store, was thrown into the street by a group of thugs at Washington and Franklin streets.

The girl, who is a student at the University of Rhode Island, was thrown into the street by a group of thugs at Washington and Franklin streets.

"I have done considerable traveling, but never have been so badly treated as I am now," she said.

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New William Tell Stunt Is Fatal

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—"Let you a child shoot at a target and a pig and the river," Campbell had a headline.

"I'll tell you," said Brand. Campbell aimed and fired. He died in an hour.

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ONE DAY MORE OF PATTERN OFFER

Just one day more and the Boston American's embroidery offer will be a thing of the past.

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DEATH

Death notices may be telephoned to the Boston AMERICAN at 4 live day or night—ext. on Main 5—or may be left at our editorial

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GILSON—Mr. Raymond in Vermont, John Gilson, owner of East Boston and the first office.
Interview at Chelsea, Ma.

GREENE—John Lawrence, District Attorney, 111 N. Third street at 10 a. m., 100 N. Atlantic.
Interview at 100 N. Third at 10:30 a. m.

HARRIS—Mr. William, Deputy, 410 N. 2d street, 10:30 a. m. for his brother James E. Harris, 209 N. 2d street.

HEALON—At his residence, 41 Elmwood, Elmwood, 10:30 a. m. Interview at Elmwood, 10:30 a. m.

Special attention to the chapel, Woodlawn cemetery, 10:30 a. m. Interview at 10:30 a. m. Interview at 10:30 a. m. Interview at 10:30 a. m.

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Proposals.

PORT WILLIAMS, Me., Dec. 1, 1914.—The
proposals for constructing a concrete dam will be
received until 11:30 a. m., Jan. 4, 1915, and will
be opened. Information furnished on application
Constructing Quartermaster.

Meetings.

A MEETING of the shareholders of the
United Copper & Iron Works will be held on Wed-
nesday, December 16, 1914, at 2 p. m., at the
office of the bank, 159 Federal st., BIL-
BROOK, for the purpose of nominating officers
for the ensuing year. The meeting will be held
on January, 1915. JAMES R. D.
121, Main Street, Boston, Dec. 4, 1914.

BOSTON AMERICAN

Don't Be a Trailer

BOSTON
DECEMBER 4, 1914

Somebody's Load

The Worker Is Happier Than the Idler. And He Who Seems Idle Often Does His Share of Work

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A good picture by Tad on this page. You see in the streets of the cities, or out in the country roads, a strong machine pulling a load, and behind it two or three "trailers." These are cars fastened on that have no power of their own. They are pulled by the working machine.

A good many men and women in this life are like the machine with the trailers fastened, with their heavy loads in the rear. A good many men spend time unnecessarily plying themselves because they are pulling the load, while the others ride.

These gentlemen who sympathize with themselves are particularly numerous at Christmas. They will tell you how many things they must buy, and the most that THEY can hope for is very little.

Tad's cartoon is useful because it gives us the chance to remind men worth while that they ought to be GLAD TO PULL THE LOAD.

A man should be especially glad to help his relations less powerful, less able, less fortunate than himself.

If one brother inherited from his father and mother a million dollars and the others inherited nothing he would be ashamed to keep the money for himself, use it all, saying "It is mine and you have no right to it."

He would naturally feel that he owed part of what he got from his father and mother to the other children of that father and mother.

Very often the man pulling a load and pitying himself is one who has inherited from father and mother ALL THE ABILITY THAT THEY HAD TO GIVE. The other children have inherited nothing.

The man who inherits the brain of a father, a brain that will earn money and pull a load, is more fortunate than he who inherits a million.

For you can lose the million, but you don't lose the brain.

And just as a man with a million dollars inherited would be ashamed to see his brother want, so a man with a working brain and a strong body inherited should be ashamed to see his weaker relations need anything that he can give them.

Remember also that those who seem to ride, while necessity drives the head of the family, are not always like the riders in this picture.

Many a poor woman patiently plods, saves, denies herself to help the husband, to care for the children. Such a woman is often a harder worker than the man who is praised for "doing so much for his family."

She gets no praise, she is usually not appreciated, she is reminded by her husband quite often how much he does for her. The children, as they get older, think that she is rather dull. And, as she is compelled to do the disagreeable saving, she is made to appear as less generous than the father—a hard thing for a mother to bear.

The working man is the fortunate man. Those obliged to sit idle, obliged against their will to be part of the load that is pulled, deserve pity. Some, as Tad says, are indolent, and some are spongers. But the great mass are unfortunate.

Everybody, if he had his chance, would rather be a worker, a puller, one that the world praises, one that gets the sympathy. Don't be a trailer if you can help it. If you are a puller, don't waste too much of your energy pitying yourself.

Pull as hard as you can, be glad that you have the strength, and as you near the end of this year make plans for pulling harder than ever the next year.

Man was made here to work, and lucky he who is able to fulfill his function.

LETTERS FROM AMERICAN READERS

IS THIS TO BE EUROPE'S FATE?

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—Does it not appear evident that the war of extermination waged by the European civilized nations among themselves, with the invited help of Asia and other barbarous races, will result in the burial of European civilization under its own ruins and leave the remnants of it a prey to Eastern savagery? Is it not most probable that, under any circumstances, both England and Germany will be losers by that intestine war, and that Russia and the yellow races will, in consequence, dominate Europe? What good will it be to England if all the German Asiatic possessions are handed over to Japan, and Russia takes eastern Germany, Hungary, Constantinople and the Danubian empire and establishes a Slav empire in the Balkans; if India, Egypt and South Africa are in revolt, with the probability of their slipping out of her grasp? Will the taking of Togoland compensate for all that?

It is, indeed, sad to reflect upon the blinders of European nations in this war of mutual extermination.

tion, prompted by their mutual jealousy and for the benefit of the smiling Eastern nations. Who can contemplate with equanimity the prospect of a Europe dominated by the yellow races, with the remnants of the whites scattered over the American continent?

P. Z. H.

DESERVING FAMILIES HERE

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—I am unable to express the thanks you deserve for your editorial in which you ask your readers to help our neighbors before sliding down the road. There is hardly a person in this country who does not know some one in need of help.

A great, fierce winter is approaching. There are hundreds and thousands of families in this country whose children are begging for shoes and stockings to keep them warm. Many of these people are ashamed to ask for help, although they are sorely in need of it. These people deserve our sympathy and our aid.

Once more I thank you for the sympathy you showed in your splendid editorial.

M. H.



It is a hard road. Some pull and some are pulled. Be one of the pullers if you can.
BUT, while this is an excellent cartoon, and tells powerfully ONE side

of the story, don't forget the other side.

Don't forget especially that those who pull and work and pity themselves are the lucky ones usually.

(See Editorial.)

Does It Pay Women to Be Modest?

Girls Who Drink with Men and Allow Themselves to Be Kissed Crucify Their Modesty to Gain Popularity—Men Revere Goodness in a Woman

By DOROTHY DIX

I GET a great many letters from girls asking the question: "Does it pay to be modest?" Almost universally they answer their own query in the negative. They say that unless a girl will permit familiarity from the young men with whom she associates she is left useless, or, as one young woman pitifully puts it, "Unless a girl will let her escort kiss her goodnight it is GOOD-NIGHT for hers, for she'll never see him again."

Other letters assert that a girl has to be a good sport, and not too particular, if she expects to receive any attention from men nowadays; and still other letters ask pathetically if there are no more men who care for modest, shy, retiring girls.

Queer comment is afforded on these letters by another letter which I received the other day from a man who says that the reason that he, and many other young men, do not marry is because they can find no more modest girls. This man declares that he is on the search for a shrinking violet sort of a wife, as Diogenes was on the search for an honest man, but that so far he had never found a girl with whom he could not take liberties of speech and action, and so he remains a bachelor.

Here are the masculine and the feminine points of view on the same subject, and it is an illuminating one for girls.

Men Lead Women Into Doing the Things They Condemn

It shows one of the least admirable of man's dealings with woman, and that is the fact that a man will deliberately lead a woman into the very thing that he condemns her for doing.

Also it shows a thing that experience has taught every older woman, but that no lenient young girl knows, and that is that practically every man who meets puts her character through a sort of third degree to see how much she will stand.

A man, for instance, will urge a girl to drink, to take just a little cocktail or a glass or two of champagne, or to have one more highball, and then he will speak of her with biting contempt, and say: "None of that drink stuff for a girl I marry." A man will tell a girl off-colored stories, and loathe her for laughing at them. He will use every art, and wit, and persuasion to induce her to kiss him, and suspect her because she does. Girls don't understand this. They see that the loud, free-and-easy sort of young women put no restraints upon men, always seem

to be having a grand good time. They see hordes of men swarming around blowholes, and hear of her going to this place and that place, and they think that her recipe for attracting men must be the right one. So, although every fibre of the shrinking maiden souls revolts at a caress from an unloved hand, or the touch of coarse lips, they feel that they mustn't be too "stiff" or squeamish, or old maidish, or else they will be left as wall flowers and receive no attentions from men. Such girls crucify their modesty to gain popularity.

They cheapen themselves because they are under the misapprehension that men only want bargain price femininity, while all the time what the man is looking for, and hoping to find, is a girl who is a pearl above price, one so rare, so fine that she is worth all he has to give, and more. The girl does not realize that the very man who is tempting her is just trying out her strength of character, just testing her loyalty to her ideals, and that in his heart he may really be praying that she will resist him, and renew his faith in the essential purity and goodness of mankind.

Ordinary Men Revere Goodness and Modesty in a Woman

Possibly there are cases where the villain still pursues innocent virtue, but such instances are as rare as hen's teeth. There is nothing that the ordinary man so reveres as goodness and modesty in a woman, and when he sees a girl who wants to go straight, he is not only willing to help her, he is ready to defend her against other men if necessity arises.

Girls make no greater mistake than when they think that men do not care for modesty in a woman. It is the one quality they value above all others, and if they want proof of this, let them look about them and see how seldom do they marry the blowhole girl with whom they drink, and gamble, and swap double entendre jokes. Not until men prefer the sunflower to the violet, the full blown rose to the bud, the bruised peach of the dusty street front stall to the peach with the down still upon it, will they prefer the good sport girl to the modest girl when they come to pick out their wives.

Modesty pays, girls. It pays in your own self-respect, and it pays in the admiration that it commands from men. Men are looking for modest girls to marry, and they are finding it difficult to discover them in this age of décolleté clothes and manners.

"Give a Basket" and Help the AMERICAN'S Christmas Fund

How the money is rolling in for the AMERICAN'S "Give a Basket" Christmas Fund. But every cent is needed, for every mail brings scores of pathetic appeals for Christmas baskets from poor families of Greater Boston. Every cent given goes into the baskets—all expenses of distribution are borne by the AMERICAN.

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SCIENCE FOR WORKERS

By EDGAR LUCIEN LARKIN

Q—"The popular belief that an automobile is one of the safest places during a severe thunderstorm seems to be a fallacy. The idea that the rubber tires will act as an electrical bar to the passage of the electrical discharge may be exploded by any one by standing beside a car and placing one finger upon the top of a spark plug when the motor is running."—Clipping sent by FRANK O'NEIL, Menlo Park, Cal.

A.—This is no test of the action of lightning. One of the safest places possible when lightning is playing between the clouds and earth is in an automobile. This is because it has rubber tires and rubber is one of the best nonconductors of electricity known.

To touch an active spark-plug when standing on the ground is to complete the circuit to earth and receive a shock. The earth always receives electricity and this is always available in completing a circuit. The earth is very thick, rubber soles are used to act as insulators, and rubber tires act as com-

plete obstructions to a flow to earth. The clipping is entirely wrong.

Q—"Kindly inform me of astronomical telescope. (1) What is the size of the largest? (2) If one of great size could be manufactured, would knowledge of planets be increased? (3) Have attempts been made recently to manufacture large ones?—N. W. MOHR, San Francisco.

A.—Yes. Knowledge of all planets would be increased, and millions more suns be brought into view. Each increase in dimensions of lenses in the past has been followed by increase in the number of stars made visible. It is not known, however, whether there is an end to this star.

The largest telescope is not finished; they are at work on the 100-inch mirror in Pasadena, two miles from this observatory in the valley—that are cut out of Paradise—below. I can see the roof of the great optical instrument factory.

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